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CLAIMS

1. A dispensing device comprising:

(d) a reservoir for storing a fabric cleaning fluid having
5 a viscosity of over 10 Pa.s at rest or under an applied
stress of up to 10 Pa.

(e) one or more dispensing orifices in fluid communication
with the reservoir

a movable platform movable by means of a screw mechanism,
10 whereby rotation of a screw advances the movable platform
against the stored, fabric cleaning fluid thereby dispensing
a metered dose of the cleaning fluid from the reservoir to
be dispensed via the dispensing orifices.

15 2. A device according to claim 1 wherein the platform
comprises a wall or base portion of the reservoir and
sliding the platform within the reservoir, progressively
reduces the volume of the reservoir thereby forcing the
fluid to exit the reservoir.

20 3. A device according to any preceding claim in which
the reservoir and movable platform are non-circular in cross
section, such that, in use, rotation of the reservoir
relative to the platform is resisted.

25 4. A device according to any preceding claim in which the
cross section of the reservoir and platform include at least
one non-curved section.

30 5. A device according to any preceding claim in which

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the reservoir is uniform in cross section at least along the length in which the platform moves.

6. A device according to any preceding claim in which
5 the platform is configured for reciprocal generally axial movement internally of the reservoir.

7. A device according to any preceding claim in which the platform is movable by means of screw mechanism.